

## Advertisements.

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WE REPRESENT THE

Most Reliable Home and Foreign Companies.  
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**FIRES GALORE!** Cold weather brings the stoves and furnaces into use—more chance for fires—more fires. You've got to risk it with your neighbors—but won't you let us take the risk for you? We represent a coterie of good stalwart insurance companies. Liberal terms.

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Men's Suits from \$3.50 up. Youths' Suits from \$3 up.  
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### Furnishing Goods.

Underwear from 25c. up.  
Hats and Caps—Latest Styles.

**OWEN BYRN,**  
Clothier and Furnisher,  
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### An Old Business in New Quarters.

E. Bonsey &amp; Son have completed their building on Water street; have fitted it up with new machinery; have equipped it with a 10-horse power electric motor, and are ready for business. We manufacture and deal in

**DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, WINDOW FRAMES, MOULDINGS.**  
Jig Sawing, Planing, Turning, and Jobbing.  
We keep glass and putty, and do repairing where these articles are needed.

Whitewood Board and Plank Constantly on hand.

**E. BONSEY & SON.**

A few of the many bargains that may be found at our store this week:

**WINDOW SHADES**  
from 20c. to 55c.

**WHITE POLE**  
and **ENDS**  
for lace and muslin curtains—only  
20c. complete.

**Brass Extension**  
**Rods**  
10 cents.

**A 16x20 Picture**  
with a white, gilt, brown or green 3-inch frame; only 80 cents. This is a regular \$1.50 picture. Other pictures from 25c. to \$7.50.

**A. W. CUSHMAN & SON,**  
Undertakers and Embalmers,  
No. 1 Franklin Street, - - - Ellsworth.

**FRUIT AND CONFECTIONERY.**  
**TOBACCO**  
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FINEST LINE IN THE CITY.  
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for all occasions can be had at the  
**ELLSWORTH GREENHOUSE.**

THE ELLSWORTH AMERICAN  
[The only county paper.]

## LOCAL AFFAIRS.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS WEEK.

Clifton Woodward—Overcoat found.  
Statement—Ellsworth Loan and Building Association.  
A. I. Saunders—House for sale.  
Boston & Bangor Steamship Co.—Change in schedule.  
J. P. Eldridge—Stoves, furnaces, etc.  
Lewis Friend & Co.—Clothing.  
Wiggin & Moore—Apothecaries.  
C. R. Foster—Furniture.  
Call & Connelley—Millinery.  
W. R. Parker Clothing Co.—Clothing.  
Geo. H. Grant—Insurance and real estate.

**ORLAND:**  
Non-resident tax notice.

**VERONA:**  
Non-resident tax notice.

**PORTLAND:**  
Oren Hooper's Sons—Stoves.

**DORCHESTER, MASS:**  
Walter Baker & Co.—Chocolate or cocoa.

**MISCELLANEOUS:**  
Smith's Green Mountain Renovator.

For other local news see pages 4, 5 and 6.  
H. B. Phillips fired up his brick kiln yesterday.

Mrs. N. T. Murray, of Rockland, is visiting relatives in Ellsworth.

Miss Lillian Clary, of Bangor, is the guest of Mrs. R. M. Campbell.

Miss Jennie Connelley, of Portland, is visiting her parents in this city.

The annual Thanksgiving eve ball of the Dirigo club this year will be a masquerade.

Mrs. L. F. Giles and little daughter Erva are in Boston for a visit of two or three weeks.

Mrs. W. A. Alexander returned last night from a visit to her mother at Bucksport.

Mrs. F. W. Stanton, of Boston, is visiting her parents, Capt. H. J. Joy and wife, in this city.

Miss Harriet Mason has entered Shaw's business college at Bangor for a course in stenography.

Miss Gertrude Bragdon, of North Lamoine, is visiting her uncle, H. W. Dunn, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Aiken spent a few days last week visiting relatives at Bucksport and Dedham.

The Knights of King Arthur expect to have their new lodge room in the Giles block open in about a week.

The new camp of C. R. Foster, A. W. Ellis and others at upper Branch pond has been named "Camp Ellis".

Mrs. Sarah G. Leighton, of Unionville, is in this city visiting her sister, Mrs. W. L. Thomas, and other relatives.

Mrs. Ella A. Dunn left last Thursday for a two weeks' visit with her parents, J. T. B. Waterhouse and wife, at Saco.

Friends of Walter J. Clark, who has been seriously ill, are glad to know that he is improving and is now able to sit up.

Mrs. E. F. Robinson returned last week from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. C. S. Bragdon, in Brockton and other relatives in Massachusetts.

The Dirigo athletic club met Monday evening to talk over affairs of the club. The club will meet the first of next month to reorganize.

Mrs. John H. Richardson and family will leave this week for their new home in Manchester, N. H. Mr. Richardson is employed in a large shoe factory there.

The Ellsworth literature club will study Tennyson during the coming winter. The first meeting will be held next Tuesday evening with Miss Mary H. McFarland.

Schooner "Victory", of Ellsworth, Capt. Adelbert Bellamy, Bangor for Norway, lost both anchors and chains, also kedge and hawser in the gale last week. She was anchored on Nantucket shoals.

At a meeting of Eureka running team held Oct. 12 the following new officers were elected: Otis M. Webber, foreman; Vernon Hanson, assistant foreman; Frank Smith, clerk and treasurer; Herman J. Scammon, manager.

The meeting of the merchants' carnival committee to talk over forming a permanent organization, which was called for last night, was postponed on account of the critical illness of Charles H. Drummey, chairman of the committee.

John Leighton has moved his barber shop from the second floor of the Cunningham building, corner of Main and Franklin streets, to the Smith building, a little further up Main street. There he has an attractive shop on the ground floor.

At the business meeting of the Free Baptist society last week, Rev. G. H. Salley was elected president and treasurer and H. W. Dunn, secretary. The trustees are M. D. Chatto, H. W. Dunn, James A. Taylor, A. R. Barron and A. M. Small.

There was an informal meeting of Ellsworth Masons at Esoteric lodge room last evening, when Dr. J. F. Manning laid before them a proposition for the sale of the Manning block to the Masons. The dimensions of the building, cost, running expenses, earnings, etc., and the price for

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### Financial.

**A SMALL SUM**  
will rent a  
**SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX**  
in our Burglar and  
Fire-Proof Vault,  
which will afford  
protection for one's  
valuables, etc., etc.  
Price according to size of Box.

**TYLER, FOGG & CO.,**  
Dealers in Bonds,  
MORSE-OLIVER Building,  
BANGOR, Me.

## CHARLES H. DRUMMEY, DEAD.

### One of Ellsworth's Most Prominent Young Men Died To-day.

Charles H. Drummey, county attorney-elect of Hancock county and one of Ellsworth's most prominent young men, died shortly before noon to-day of typhoid fever.

No death in Ellsworth in recent years has caused a greater shock than this. Through boyhood, young manhood his friends proudly watched his progress, and predicted for him a brilliant future. No Ellsworth boy ever entered upon manhood with more flattering prospects; honors seemed waiting him from the first, and his rise into a prominent place in the community was rapid. And so it is that his untimely death, barely in the prime of life, has come with startling suddenness on the community.

Mr. Drummey has been confined to his house since a week ago Saturday. He attended court during the first few days of the term, but was not well then. In fact, it is probable that the disease has been upon him several weeks. As chairman of the executive committee of the Ellsworth's merchants' carnival, he worked indefatigably for the success of the undertaking. A week before the carnival, during a business trip to Boston, he was taken ill and confined to his hotel one day. He kept about, however, until, as already stated, he took to his bed less than two weeks ago. Since then his failure has been rapid. Yesterday morning he was very low, but in the afternoon he seemed to rally, and during the night seemed stronger. Early this morning a change for the worse was noted, and from that he sank rapidly until his death.

Charles H. Drummey was born in Ellsworth thirty-five years ago. He was the youngest son of the late John and Nancy Drummey. He was educated in the common schools of the city, and in the high school, graduating from the high school with the class of '82. After graduating he taught school for a few terms, and then entered the post-office at Bar Harbor, where he was employed as clerk two years. For a short time he was in the railway mail service in New York. He was acting clerk of courts for Hancock county after H. B. Saunders was made United States marshal and before J. F. Knowlton was appointed.

In 1887 he entered the law office of the late Judge George P. Dutton, of Ellsworth, to study law. He was admitted to the Hancock county bar at the January term, 1890, after passing an exceptionally good examination. Soon afterward he entered the law office of Hale &amp; Hamlin, and on Jan. 1, 1897, was admitted to the firm. A little over a year ago he opened an office of his own in the First National bank building.

Ever since he became of age Mr. Drummey has been active in the republican party. He has been a hard and effective worker, and has been the acknowledged leader of the party in recent campaigns. He has been chairman of the republican city committee eleven years. Only this year he asked to be relieved of this position, but his party would not hear of it. He was district committeeman six years, and last year was elected State committeeman from Hancock county.

Mr. Drummey has not been a seeker after municipal office, the only city office he ever held being that of city treasurer, which he filled several terms with ability. Two years ago he was elected to represent Ellsworth in the State legislature, where he served with ability, holding the important secretaryship of the joint committee on railroads and telegraphs.

Mr. Drummey was elected county attorney at the State election last month, and would have entered upon the office Jan. 1 next. His death will cause a vacancy which will be filled by appointment by the governor.

Mr. Drummey was married in 1893 to Miss Margaret Gaynor, of Ellsworth, who survives him. The deceased leaves three brothers and one sister—Michael J. Edward L. and William J. Drummey, of Ellsworth, and Mrs. Burt Wilson, of Bangor.

### SUDDEN DEATH.

**Byron P. Getchell, Sr., Found Dead in a Mill This Morning.**

Byron P. Getchell, of Ellsworth Falls, night watchman for the Ellsworth Lumber Co., in the old Grant mill, was found dead in the mill this morning. Death probably resulted from heart failure. Mr. Getchell has been in failing health for some time, but continued at his work as usual.

The mill was running last night until 8 o'clock. When the workmen left, Mr. Getchell was apparently as well as usual. The indications are that he must have died soon after the men left. His body was near the rotary saw. His lighted lantern was on the floor beside him. His luncheon, which he usually ate about midnight, had not been touched.

Mr. Getchell was born in the western part of the State. He was about sixty-five years of age. He came to Ellsworth from Orland about forty years ago. When a young man in Orland he used to go to the fishing banks in Bucksport vessels. He went a few trips after coming to Ellsworth, but most of the time since coming here he has been employed in the mills. He was a good workman and a good citizen.

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## Absolutely Pure

Makes hot breakfast-breads wholesome—no yeast germs, no alum. Makes cake, biscuit and pastry of superior fineness, flavor and delicacy. Makes food that will keep moist and sweet. Is most economical, because it is the purest and greatest in leavening strength. In the easy, expeditious preparation of the finer cakes and pastries, Royal is indispensable.

Care must be taken to avoid baking powders made from alum. Such powders are sold cheap, because they cost but a few cents per pound. Not only will they spoil the cake, but alum is a corrosive acid, which taken in food means injury to health.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

### CHURCH NOTES.

#### UNITARIAN.

Rev. A. H. Coar, pastor.

Thursday afternoon, 2 o'clock, business meeting of women's alliance. Plans for the winter will be considered. All the ladies are cordially invited to be present.

Saturday evening at 7, half-hour song service for those interested in singing.

Saturday evening, at 7:30, teachers' meeting at home of Mrs. S. D. Wiggin.

Subject: "Ezra the Scribe."

Sunday, Oct. 28—Morning service at 10:30. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday school at 11:45.

#### BAPTIST.

Pastorate Vacant.

Special services every evening this week except Thursday, conducted by Rev. David Kerr, of Quincy, Mass.

Sunday, Oct. 28—Preaching service at 10:30 a. m. by Rev. David Kerr. Sunday school at 12. Christian Endeavor prayer meeting at 6. Praise and preaching service at 7 p. m., conducted by Mr. Kerr.

#### FREE BAPTIST.

Rev. George H. Salley, pastor.

Friday evening at 7:30, prayer-meeting.

Sunday, Oct. 28—Preaching service at 2:30 p. m. Sunday school at 3:15 p. m.

Social service at 7 p. m.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E.

#### OUT-OF-TOWN SERVICES.

Rev. George H. Salley, of the Free Baptist church, will preach at West Hancock Sunday, Oct. 28, at 10:30 a. m.

#### CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. J. M. Adams, pastor.

Meeting for prayer and bible study Friday evening at 7:30. After prayer meeting there will be a meeting of the church and parish. Committees will be appointed for the year.

Sunday, Oct. 28—Morning service at 10:30. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday school in the chapel at 11:45. Evening service at 7 o'clock.

### COMING EVENTS.

Oct. 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26, at 2:30 p. m., and Wednesday evening, Oct. 24, at 7:30, at Manning hall—Cooking demonstration by Myrtle Estelyn Robinson. Admission free.

Friday, Oct. 28, 8 p. m., at Unitarian vestry—Old maids' convention. Tickets, 15 cents.

Thursday, Nov. 8, at Hancock hall—Concert by Eastport cornet band, followed by ball.

Wednesday, Nov. 28, at Hancock hall—Masquerade ball of Dirigo athletic club.

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**Emulsion of**  
**Cod Liver Oil.**  
75cts. a bottle.

It contains the pure Cod Liver Oil, the exact amount of Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda, and is agreeably flavored.

Cod Liver Oil nourishes all wasting tissues, soothes all throat irritation; dry, hacking coughs soon disappear when it is used. 75c. a bottle.

Our Hot Water Bottles please a lot of people, so does the way we have of selling them—giving you a new bottle or your money back if you are not satisfied.

**G. A. PARCHER,**  
ELLSWORTH, MAINE.

A father, fearing an earthquake in the region of his home, sent his two boys to a distant friend until the danger would be over. A few weeks after the father received the following brief note from his friend: "Dear Jack:—Please take your boys home and send me the earthquake."

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**LEWIS FRIEND & CO.****"THE BIG STORE."**

## A BIG PURCHASE.

This is to certify that I have sold all of our Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods at an extra low price from the original wholesale cost to

**Lewis Friend & Co.**

**M. GALLERT.**

## A GIGANTIC SALE OF MEN'S UNDERWEAR.

Men's Winter Weight Shirts and Drawers, 17c  
Gallert's price, 25c, 35c, 50c, our price,  
Gallert's 62c, 75c, 87c, and \$1 Underwear, 37c  
our price for this sale,

**LEWIS FRIEND & CO.,**  
New Bank Block, Main and State Sts.



## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Oct. 22.—*Salvation* by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—Do not worry.—Math. vi. 25-34.

Life is crowded with care and worry. Thousands are overanxious about the future and about the morrow who have no concern about the great future beyond the grave. But not only among the unsaved are those who worry to be found, but they also exist among the people of God. This should not be. Worry is a sin. It is distrust of God and of the promises of God. It is a result of attaching undue importance to the less important things of life. If we seek first the kingdom of God and keep the kingdom of God first in our lives, we will not worry over meat and drink. He who gives due prominence to the spiritual will find that he will not need to worry about the temporal, for God will take care of that.

Christ in this part of the sermon on the mount not only warns against the folly of worry, but also shows by reason and by illustration the needlessness of it. He suggests three reasons why we should not be overanxious or worry about meat or drink or our future temporal wants:

1. We should not worry because God gives us our lives. "Life is more than meat, and the body than raiment." God gave us life. God made our bodies. These are more than meat for the life and raiment for the body. Therefore, if God has given us the greater, we can depend on Him for the less. He who created life can certainly be depended on to sustain it. He who made the body will not allow it to want for clothing. Having given the greater, we can safely rely upon Him for the less.

2. We should not worry because God cares for that which is less valuable than man and will therefore provide for man. He feeds the fowls of the air; He clothes the lilies of the field. But what are the fowls of the air, what are the lilies of the field, compared to man, who has been created in God's image and redeemed by the precious blood of the Son of God? If God cares for the grass of the field, which today is and tomorrow is cast into the oven, how can we ever doubt that He will care for and provide for us?

3. We should not worry; worry is fruitless. "Which of you, by taking thought, can add one cubit to his stature?" Worry is useless—it is worse than useless. It not only does no good, but it does harm. It unfits us for the accomplishment of the very purposes over which we worry.

What God does is a full guarantee of what God will do. Let us not, then, be overanxious about the present or the future. Trustfulness becomes the Christian much better than overanxiety. Let us trust and never be afraid.

## THE PRAYER MEETING.

Have a roll call service, each one responding as his name is called.

## BIBLE READINGS.

Job xxxviii. 41; Ps. xvi. 1-11; xxiii. 1-6; xxvii. 1-14; Luke xii. 22-31; Rom. viii. 1-6; Phil. iv. 6-13; Heb. xiii. 5, 6; I Pet. v. 6, 7.

## More Faith.

I hear men everywhere praying for more faith, but when I listen to them carefully and get at the real heart of their prayers, very often it is not more faith at all that they are wanting, but a change from faith to sight.

"What shall I do with sorrow that God has sent me?"

"Take it up and bear it and get strength and blessing out of it."

"Ah, if I only knew what blessing there is in it, if I saw how it would help me, then I could bear it. What shall I do with this hard, hateful duty which Christ has laid right in my way?"

"Do it and grow by doing it."

"Ah, yes, if I could only see that it would make me grow!"

In both of these cases you do not see that what you are begging for is not more faith, although you think it is, but sight.

You want to see for yourself the blessing in the sorrow, the strength in the hard and hateful task.

Faith says not, "I see that it is good for me, and so God must have seen it," but "God sent it, and so it must be good for me."

Faith, walking in the dark with God, only prays Him to clasp his hand more closely; does not even ask Him for the lighting of the darkness so that the man may find the way himself.—Phillips Brooks.

## The Lamp of Faith.

Matthew Arnold once said that the duty and privilege of his life consisted in bearing forward the lamp of life for his father. So, I believe, you and I should take this lamp of faith that our fathers lighted, should fill it and quicken it and make it more glowing, and should not only press it faithfully to our breasts, that it may guide our individual feet in the devious paths of life, but we ought to come out with it and carry it into the dark corners of poverty and shame and sin and human need and suffering, so that it may become, indeed, not only a light to us, but a "light that lighteth every one who cometh into the world."—Rev. Paul Revere Frothingham.

## Tact.

Talent will carry a man a long distance, but tact will carry him a step farther. He who has great talent and little tact will be rated at less than he is, but he who has great tact and little talent will be accorded a place of honor. With some tact is a birthright; with others it is acquired by hard work and in the face of many failures. Like all other gifts of nature, it does not fall into the lap, but it may be had by purpose and effort. A few brief rules may be in place to help the tactless to be tactful.—Rev. Dwight E. Marvin in Advance.

## Mutual Benefit Column

EDITED BY "AUNT MADGE".

Its Motto: "Helpful and Helpful."

The purposes of this column are succinctly stated in the title and motto—it is for the mutual benefit, and aims to be helpful and helpful. Being for the common good, it is for the common good. It is for the common good of information and suggestion, a medium for the interchange of ideas. In this capacity it solicits communications, and its success depends largely on the support given it in this respect. Communications must be signed, but the name of writer will not be printed except by permission. Communications will be subject to approval or rejection by the editor of the column, but none will be rejected without good reason. Address all communications to

THE AMERICAN, Ellsworth, Me.

Mutual Benefit Column.

## MY BEST.

I may perform no deeds of great renown,  
No glorious act to millions manifest;  
Yet in my little labors up and down  
I'll do my best.

I may not paint a perfect masterpiece,  
Nor carve a statue by the world confessed;  
A miracle of art, yet will not cease  
To do my best.

My name is not upon the rolls of fame,  
'Tis on the page of common life impressed;  
But I'll keep marking, marking just the same,  
And do my best.

Sometimes I sing a very simple song,  
And send it outward to the east or west,  
Although in silence it rolls along,  
I do my best.

Sometimes I write a very little hymn,  
The joy within me cannot be repressed;  
Though no one reads—the letters are so dim—  
I do my best.

And if I see some fellow traveler rise  
Far, far above me, still with quiet breast  
I keep on climbing, climbing toward the skies  
And do my best.

My very best; and if at close of day,  
Worn out I sit me down awhile to rest,  
I still will mend my garments if I may,  
And do my best.

It may not be the beautiful or grand,  
But I must try to be so careful, lest  
I fail to be what's put into my hand—  
My very best.

Better and better every stitch must be,  
The last a little stronger than the rest,  
Good Master! Help my eyes that they may see  
To do my best.

To the M. B. Column:

The enclosed poem was copied a year ago from the New Century. I thought perhaps Aunt Madge could make use of it. We are so apt to spend a part of our time and energy in discontent and longing for better opportunities and more success, instead of trying to "do our best" whatever, and wherever we may be. And so, sisters of the M. B. column, it behooves us one and all, now that the various interests and festivities of summer are over and we have more leisure to do "our very best," to show Aunt Madge our appreciation of her faithful service, by supplying her with so much material for this department that she will be obliged to get out her waste basket for lack of room.

The summer must have brought to each of us new ideas, new lessons for heart and mind, and perhaps just what has helped us would help some one else. Speaking of summer festivities, why cannot we have something, sometime, all our own in that line? An M. B. convention for instance, with Aunt Madge in the seat of honor, and the sisters labelled with their pen names as a convenient mode of introduction. Then we should not have to keep wondering who "Janet" and "Ego", and all the others are.

Oct. 12. FLOESIE.

"Floesie's" beautiful poem and cheerful letter ought to do us all good, and I am certainly grateful to her for making a direct application of "doing one's best" in such a practical way as to benefit Aunt Madge by help for the M. B. column.

That "convention" at suggestion perhaps we can realize in Esther's "Sometime Land". I should be glad to take every sister of you by the hand and welcome you to my home, label you with your *nom de plumes* (as Floesie proposed) and feast you with viands prepared entirely by M. B. recipes.

Dear readers all, don't you think by our mutual interest in each other, by the sympathy and the thoughts we express to each other, we may be brightening a little corner of the world with new hopes and uplifting thoughts? If one busy mother or hurried housewife gets a new idea to revolve in her mind and experiment on, she is broadening her interests.

"How shall we divide our time?" How many do you suppose have been trying in theory or practice the solution of that problem since the article appeared in our column? It is an old, old question. These mothers with two or three little children about them, perhaps with two or three more just beginning school life, how can they get time for anything? I know such mothers; when I see them out for a little ride some day I say: "I am glad Nellie or Annie can get out for a breath of air," and the mothers would get out more and take the little ones, too, only as they say: "It is so much work to get them all ready that I get so tired I had rather stay at home than undertake it."

Yes; but if your "John" has to go a few miles with his horse and carriage and asks you to get ready and go with him, go if you can. If your housework isn't quite all done draw down the shades if you fear a neighbor may look in; go without that pudding or pie you intended to make for dinner, and accept that invitation to take a little ride. Don't think of the work awaiting your return—if you can help it. And, John, if you have been thoughtful enough to ask your wife to go with you (and I hope you husbands do think of it sometimes) try and be as agreeable and pleasant to her as you used to be just before you began to share life's burdens and joys together.

"How shall we divide our time?" I used to wonder why I did not accomplish all I undertook. It was years before the thought came to me that possibly I undertook too much, and yet this very day I thought I should hardly dare to take account of the various things for the

Magazine, Book and Newspaper Notes.

COLBY STORIES.

Colby is fortunate in having a man in her student body who is undertaking a difficult work in collecting a volume of stories, to be known as "Colby Stories". This man is Herbert Carlyle Libby, a present member of the junior class. Mr. Libby is a son of the late Hon. I. C. Libby, the father being well remembered by Maine people as "the Cattle King of Maine", and later as the promoter and builder of electric lines in this State.

Mr. Libby commenced the work of collecting the present volume of stories over a year ago, and by diligent pursuit and with a considerable expenditure of money, he has advanced the work so far that November will see the work upon the market.

The book will contain some 250 pages. All of the contributions in these pages will be written by prominent Colby alumni, such as Dr. William Matthews, of Boston; Holman F. Day, of Auburn; J. H. Files, of Portland; H. L. Koopman, of Brown University; Prof. A. F. Caldwell, of Illinois; Hon. Asa H. Hildreth, of Washington; Principal W. S. Knowlton, of Monson. The book will be illustrated by the New York artist, Prof. Joseph C. Chase.

Julius H. B. Fogg, of Waterville, is business manager of the enterprise.

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Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sallow complexion, a jaundice look, moth patches and blotches on the skin—all signs of liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. Only 25 cents at WIGGIN & MOORE'S drug store.

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Gentlemen—Our family realize so much from the use of GRAIN-O that I feel I must say a word to induce others to use it. If people are interested in their health and the welfare of their children they will use no other beverage. I have used them all, but GRAIN-O I have found superior to any, for the reason that it is solid grain. Yours for health, C. F. MYERS.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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"When I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was not able to do my housework. I suffered terribly at time of menstruation. Several doctors told me they could do nothing for me. Thanks to Mrs. Pinkham's advice and medicine I am now well, and can do the work for eight in the family."

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AUNT MADGE.

"AUNT SALOME'S" BIRTHDAY.

How Deer Isle Honored Its Second Centennial.

SOUTH DEER ISLE, Oct. 16 (special).—It is seldom that any local event arouses such widespread interest as did the celebration of the one-hundredth anniversary of the birth of "Aunt Salome" Sellers, on Monday, Oct. 15.

The weather in the morning was unfavorable, but notwithstanding this, friends began to call at an early hour. The venerable lady received them with the genial smile that is always so pleasant, and conversed with each one as interestingly as ever. Many presents were carried to her from near and far. On her table stood a beautiful bouquet of flowers sent from California, looking as fresh as if just gathered. She had prepared a large number of souvenirs to give to those who called, and these will be highly prized by all receiving them.

Visitors were present from all parts of the town, and several relatives from other states came on purpose to attend this reception. A large party of relatives assembled at the family dinner, and in the afternoon the Martha Washington society, the oldest temperance society in town, of which she was one of the first members, met to celebrate the occasion.

It is wonderful how Mrs. Sellers holds her faculties, reading and sewing, and remembering events long past. Her hearing is good, and it is a pleasure to converse with her. To look at her, no one would think her more than seventy-five. One of her visitors was her niece, Mrs. Mary Warren, herself quite an aged lady, but bearing her years so lightly that it will not be surprising if she, too, lives to celebrate her hundredth year.

Among the visitors were some white ribbons who solicited "Aunt Salome" to become an honorary member of the union, which she kindly consented to do, and the county president invested her with one of the bows tied by Miss Anna Gordon, fastening it with a Willard pin presented by the corresponding secretary. No doubt she is the oldest white-ribboner now living.

Magazine, Book and Newspaper Notes.

COLBY STORIES.

Colby is fortunate in having a man in her student body who is undertaking a difficult work in collecting a volume of stories, to be known as "Colby Stories". This man is Herbert Carlyle Libby, a present member of the junior class. Mr. Libby is a son of the late Hon. I. C. Libby, the father being well remembered by Maine people as "the Cattle King of Maine", and later as the promoter and builder of electric lines in this State.

Mr. Libby commenced the work of collecting the present volume of stories over a year ago, and by diligent pursuit and with a considerable expenditure of money, he has advanced the work so far that November will see the work upon the market.

The book will contain some 250 pages. All of the contributions in these pages will be written by prominent Colby alumni, such as Dr. William Matthews, of Boston; Holman F. Day, of Auburn; J. H. Files, of Portland; H. L. Koopman, of Brown University; Prof. A. F. Caldwell, of Illinois; Hon. Asa H. Hildreth, of Washington; Principal W. S. Knowlton, of Monson. The book will be illustrated by the New York artist, Prof. Joseph C. Chase.

Julius H. B. Fogg, of Waterville, is business manager of the enterprise.

What's Your Face Worth?

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sallow complexion, a jaundice look, moth patches and blotches on the skin—all signs of liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. Only 25 cents at WIGGIN & MOORE'S drug store.

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## COUNTY NEWS.

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South Brooksville.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Gray are the proud parents of a girl baby.

Schooner "Hazel Dell", Capt. Harry Young, has sailed for Washington.

William P. Gray and Albert Cousins have gone to seek employment for employment.

M. D. Chatto is loading the three-masted schooner "James A. Fiske" with paving for New York.

Dea. E. C. Chatto died Wednesday morning. An extended obituary is printed elsewhere in this issue.

A baptismal service was held at the Cove Sunday forenoon. The candidates were Mrs. Etta Billings and Miss May C. Condon. Rev. C. B. Morse conducted the service.

Oct. 22. C.

Death.

Milton Blood is at home ill with typhoid fever.

A. B. Burrill, of Brockton, Mass., is spending a week with relatives in town.

Mrs. H. P. Burrill went to Dexter to attend the Sunday school convention last week.

Guy Burrill has been home from Castine, where he is attending school, for a short visit.

W. N. Littlefield, of Bangor, is conducting a singing school here. It promises to be very successful.

Mrs. Wallace B. Black and family have returned home from Bradley, where they have been during the summer.

Oct. 22. B.

North Brooksville.

Mrs. John Hawes has been to South Brooksville to see her mother, Mrs. Emma Condon.

Orrin Green Gray has returned from Bar Harbor, where he has been at work on a milk farm.

Mrs. Esther Doyle, of Ellsworth, who has been visiting her son Walter the past two weeks, returned yesterday.

Mrs. Manning Perkins went to Dark Harbor last week to remain a few days with Mr. Perkins, who is employed there.

Oct. 22. C.

Your best work cannot be done without good health, and you can have good health without pure blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great pure blood maker. It gives appetite, strength and vigor, and cures disease.

Constipation is cured by Hood's Pills. 25c—Advt.

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Here is Ellsworth evidence to prove it:

Mr. Warren G. Jordan, traveling salesman for J. T. Crippen, piano, organ and sewing machine dealer, says: "In the fall of '96 while making my regular trip through Hancock county, I brought up in Mariaville with a miserable, aching back. A lady living there suggested that I take Doan's Kidney Pills, saying: 'They will certainly help you.' I took her advice when I got back to Ellsworth, and procured them at Wiggins' drug store. I had taken other medicines before for the same complaint, but the pain and aches in my back always returned. At this time I had it about as bad as I ever had. The jarring of the buggy hurt me, and I could not lean against the back of the seat, my kidneys were so sore. I brought it on by heavy lifting when delivering instruments, and I had it for a number of years, often so severe that I could not stoop over or lift anything. I had no bother after using Doan's Kidney Pills, and I did as much driving and lifting as I ever did."

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Pauper Notice.

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## KITTELY TO CARIBOU.

**One Week's Winnings of News, Novelty and Nonsense.**  
W. L. Pond, of Torrington, Conn., was shot and instantly killed by his companion, W. M. Lattimer, also of Torrington, who mistook him for a deer. They were hunting in the Bangor and Aroostook region. Pond was forty years of age. He leaves a wife and four children.

Levi B. Getchell, one of Machias' aged and most respected citizens, dropped dead Thursday afternoon of heart trouble. Mr. Getchell was eighty one years old, but was apparently as well as for some time past, and at the time of his death was at work in his carpenter shop.

The boarding house at Chalk pond near Beddington was burned last week. The house was owned by Charles Mitchell, of Bangor, and was leased this year to a Mr. Sprague, who had fitted it up as a sporting resort. The fire is reported to have been caused by a lamp exploding in the dining-room. Insurance, \$600.

"Big Thunder" and Peter Nicola, the Indians who started two weeks ago on a canoe trip to Washington, D. C., returned to Old Town Saturday, having decided to abandon their novel voyage. They started in excellent weather, but were scarcely a day out before the rainy spell set in, and this, together with several severe storms, made them glad to secure a safe haven at Islesboro, and caused them to abandon the trip.

Harry Hilliker, of Lowell, Mass., was shot and probably fatally wounded in the woods near Patten Monday. He was hunting with a friend, Joseph Hubert, of Augusta. They were going through a thick growth, Hilliker in the lead, when Hubert's rifle was discharged, it is presumed by the hammer catching on a bush. The bullet entered Hilliker's back at the right of his spine, and passed entirely through his body. The wound will probably prove fatal.

Ex-Sheriff Charles F. Choate, of Lincoln county, died suddenly last week. Mr. Choate and his wife were driving home from a church supper at North Whitefield, when his horse took fright and started to run. Mr. Choate sprang from the carriage and was just about to seize the horse by the bridle when he fell. The horse, unrestrained, ran some distance, but finally came to a stop without doing damage. Mrs. Choate drove back and found her husband dead in the road. Death was due to heart disease.

At a meeting of the Maine Schoolmasters' club, at Waterville, April 12, it was suggested that a Maine association of colleges and preparatory schools would materially further the educational interests of the State. In order, therefore, to carry the suggestion into effect, representatives of the four colleges of the State have been appointed a committee to issue a call for a meeting, and to prepare a programme and a plan of organization. This meeting has been called to meet at Augusta on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 26 and 27, to organize a Maine association of colleges and preparatory schools. All teachers in colleges in Maine, and principals of high schools and academies, which prepare for college, are invited.

Col. George W. Ricker, of Rockland, died Wednesday. Col. Ricker has been one of Rockland's prominent citizens for years. He was born in Bath in 1820. When a young man he went to Augusta, where he was in the hotel business a number of years. Later he moved to Portland, where he became superintendent of Portland horse railroad. He moved to Rockland in 1871, and has since resided there. He obtained the title prefixed to his name by an appointment of Governor Washburn in 1861, at which time he purchased for the United States government large numbers of horses, which he transported to Washington, D. C., for use during the Civil war. He was exceptionally well versed in the value of horses and was a judge of the equine family at the centennial at Philadelphia in 1876. He also at one time had charge of the horse department at the State fairs held in Lewiston and Bangor.

## COUNTY NEWS.

For additional County News see other pages.

## East Orland.

Miss Lillian Gray, of the village, is working for Mrs. Harriet Mason.

Mrs. Matilda Bowden, of Monroe, and Frank Dunham, of Castine, are guests of their sister, Mrs. Martha Blaisdell.

Mrs. Eliza McVeigh and daughter, Miss Kate, returned last week from an extended visit to their former home at Deer Isle.

Miss Ada Conners, who has been caring for her aunt, Mrs. Emily Dunbar, during her recent illness, returned to her home at North Castine, Monday.

William Folsom and wife, of West Newton, Mass., and Mrs. Hardy, of Bangor, who have been at the Bell camp for the past two weeks, returned to their homes Saturday.

George Snow, accompanied by Clarence Monroe, of Bluehill, started Friday for New Hampshire, where they will work at lumbering. They made the trip by Mr. Snow's team, which he is taking there for sale.

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Miss Eunie Daniels, of Ellsworth, is working at T. F. Mason's.

Mrs. Matilda Bowden, who has been visiting her sister here, went to the village Sunday for a visit with her brother, Samuel Dunham.

Miss Carrie Wardwell, who has been stopping with friends here for several weeks, returned to her home in Boston Wednesday.

The Misses Mamie Witham, Ashie Cottle and Mrs. Minnie Remick, of Ellsworth Falls, were the guests of Mrs. Flora Dorr over Sunday.

Persis Pickering went to the village Thursday to attend a party given by Mrs. Flora Croxford in honor of her daughter Geneva's third birthday. There were fourteen guests present, all three years of age. They had a fine time.

Oct. 22. M.

## Ashville.

Mrs. Phoebe Moore, of Bangor, who has

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been in town for two weeks visiting relatives, returned home this morning.

G. H. Hanna moves this week to his new home at East Sullivan.

The Sunday school concert at the hall last night was well attended.

Mrs. E. H. Hodgkins, who has been visiting her mother at Marlboro, came home yesterday.

Samuel Bunker died this morning aged about eighty-three years. He has been failing for several weeks.

Mrs. E. J. Potter, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Duke, at Hyde Park, Mass., came home last week.

Oct. 22. B.

Bluehill Falls.  
Austin Chatto, of Camden, was the guest of Mrs. Duffy last week.

The school teacher, Miss Lizzie Davis, is boarding with Mrs. B. H. Candage.

E. Brooks Dodge is home from Waldo-boro. He is now at North Bluehill with his brother Calvin, who is very ill.

Mrs. Hugh Duffy and son Horace left Saturday for New York to join her husband for the winter. Her house is closed.

Oct. 22. SUB.

## ELLSWORTH MARKETS.

WEDNESDAY, October 24, 1900.

**MAINE LAW BOARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.**  
A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds, and a bushel of Turke Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds; of apples, 44 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds. Of wheat, 60 pounds; of corn, 56 pounds; of oats, 52 pounds; of barley, 48 pounds; of rye, 48 pounds; of buckwheat, 48 pounds; of peas, 52 pounds, or even measure as by agreement.

The prices quoted below are the retail prices at Ellsworth. Farmers can easily reckon from these what they are likely to receive in trade or cash for their produce.

## Country Produce.

Butter.

Creamery per lb. .30

Dairy .25

Cheese.

Best factory (new) per lb. .16

Best dairy (new) .18

Dutch (imported) .20

Neufchatel .05

Eggs.

Eggs remain at 25 cents and scarce.

Fresh laid, per doz. .25

Poultry.

Chickens .15

Hay.

Prices on hay remain stationary, but higher prices are looked for soon.

Best loose, per ton .15

Baled .18

Straw.

Loose .08

Baled .14

## Vegetables.

Prices on vegetables are unchanged.

Potatoes, bu .60

Sweet potatoes, lb .12

Onions, lb .02

Squash, lb .02

Cauliflower, 20 cts

Imp Yellow Eye, 3.00

Pea, 3.00

## Fruit.

Bananas, doz .30

Grapes, basket, 1.50

Apples, bbl .12

Quince, pk .50

## Groceries.

Prices on staples have been about stationary for the past week. No changes are made in Ellsworth quotations.

Coffee—per lb .06

Rice, per lb .08

Tea—per lb .20

Japan, .45

Oolong, .30

Sugar—per lb .07

Granulated, .07

Coffee—A & B, .07

Yellow, C, .07

Molasses—per gal .35

Havana, .35

Porto Rico, .50

Syrup, .60

Astral oil, .15

Lumber and Building Materials.

Lumber—per M .12

Hemlock, 11 cts

Hemlock boards, 12 cts

Spruce, 12 cts

Spruce floor, 16 cts

Pine, 12 cts

Matched pine, 15 cts

Shingles—per M .25

Cedar, extra, 27 cts

Clear, 23 cts

2d clear, 18 cts

extra c-e, 16 cts

1st, 12 cts

scots, .75

White lead, 75 cts

Provisions.

Native hogs are now in the market in good supply. The marketmen are paying 6 cents a pound.

Beef, lb .15

Steak, .15

Roasts, .10

Corned, .07

Tripe, .05

Veal, .18

Steak, .18

Roast, .10

Mutton, .15

Steak, .15

Roasts, .08

Lamb, .20

Steak, .20

Chop, .16

Roasts, .10

Butter.

Fish are very scarce. Very few have been received in Ellsworth this week.

Cod, .05

Halibut, .10

Pickered, .10

Smelts, .12

Loose, .15

Fuel.

Wood—per cord .30

Dry hard, 3.00

Dry soft, 2.00

Roundings per load .10

100 lb 25

Salt.

Flour, Grain and Feed.

Indications are that there will be a drop in prices on flour, feed and grain soon. Prices for future delivery are lower, which weakens the present market. No change is made in Ellsworth quotations this week.

Flour—per bb .35

Straights, 3.25

St. Louis roller, 3.25

Patents, 3.25

Winter wheat, 5.50

Spring wheat, 6.00

Midlings, bag, 1.15

1.15

Hides and Tallow.

Hides—per lb .05

Ox, .05

Cow, .05

Bull, .05

Calf skins, green .25

Dried Fruit.

Figs, .12

Dates, .10

Raisins, .08

Prunes, .10

Apples, sliced .10

Banker Routs a Robber.

J. R. Garrison, cashier of the bank of Thornville, Ohio, had been robbed of health by a serious lung trouble until he tried Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. Then he wrote: "It is the best medicine I ever used for a severe cold or a bad case of lung trouble. I always keep a bottle on hand." Don't suffer with coughs, colds, or any throat, chest or lung trouble when you can be cured so easily. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at WIGGIN & MOORE'S drug store.

## COUNTY NEWS.

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Reach.

F. H. Annis is at home from yachting.

Fred J. Torrey, of Boston, visited his father, Capt. James Torrey, last week.

D. W. Torrey is getting out granite preparatory to building a new house on the site of the old one.

Oct. 15. M. L.

A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was lately made on J. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters, which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at WIGGIN & MOORE'S drug store.

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**IVORINE** Washing Powder  
24 OZ. PACKAGE 10¢  
The cake of White Glycerine Soap in every package of Ivoryine, is delightful for Toilet and Bath, and for keeping the hands soft, white, and smooth.

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I want to sell during the next 30 days my entire stock, and in order to do so, I offer it at prices never heard of before in Hancock county, FOR CASH, or approved paper.

These goods are going to be sold REGARDLESS OF COST; and all in want of them cannot do better than call and get prices.

## Bangor Buggies,

Rubber or Steel Tired.

## Bike Buggies,

with Pneumatic Tires and Ball-Bearing Axles.

## "Runabout" Buggies,

Steel Tires only.

## Road Wagons,

Surreys,

## Express Wagons,

Concords.

## Buckboards—New and second-hand—to accommodate

from 2 to 11 people (including driver). Above

goods of my own make.

I also have a few western-made goods, consisting of

Surreys and Concord Wagons.

Also several great trades in Second-Hand Carriages of all styles and kinds.

**SLEIGHS AND PUNGS**—My own make—Parties intending purchasing this fall will do well to inspect the stock I am now offering, and which will be sold regardless of cost.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE.

All parties having bills against me will please present them for payment, and all owing me must settle within 30 days; those unsettled will be left with an attorney for collection.

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**BIRD STOVES.** Of Russian Iron, brick lined, burn either wood or coal, \$3.25

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**MILLER OIL HEATERS.** The only absolutely odorless \$7.50 kind, \$5

**WOOD STOVES.** Well made of sheet iron, \$3, \$4, \$5

**MINGE LAUNDRY STOVES.** Convenient and not in the way, two holes in top, \$3.50

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## Bluehill.

A. S. Witham went to Boston Monday, Oct. 15.

George Mason, of Brockton, Mass., is spending a few days in town.

Guy H. Hinckley and Miss Estelle Hinckley went to Boston Monday.

Friday evening a small candy sale was given at Beech hill schoolhouse for the purpose of raising money to buy a dictionary.

Thursday the ladies of the Congregational circle gave an ice-cream, cake and candy social in the Congregational vestry. Quite a large sum was realized.

A large number went to Boston by way of Sedgwick Thursday. Among them were: A. C. Hinckley and wife, Dr. E. C. Barrett and wife, Mrs. G. W. Alby, Mrs. Mary Heath, Miss Florence Moore, Oscar Billings, U. D. Curtis, S. G. Hinckley, Dr. O. L. Long, A. J. Long.

To-day the pupils at the academy will choose a color as standard of the school. This standard will form a basis for all class colors. Friday forenoon Prof. True, at request of a number of the pupils, brought the question before the school. The school decided to appoint a committee of five to report colors to be voted on by the school. The following were appointed: H. A. Carter, chairman; N. P. Merrill, Misses Nellie Green, Ebel Baker and Emogene



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NATIONAL ELECTION NOV. 6, 1900.

FOR PRESIDENT,  
WILLIAM MCKINLEY,  
OF OHIO.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,  
THEODORE ROOSEVELT,  
OF NEW YORK.

Ex-Secretary Sherman Dead.

John Sherman, ex-secretary of State, died in Washington Monday morning, aged seventy-seven years.

Elected to Congress from Ohio in 1855 at the age of thirty-two years, his public service from that time to his retirement two years ago, was continuous. In House, Senate and presidential cabinets he served with conspicuous ability, and several times the presidency seemed within his grasp. His greatest reputation was made as chairman of the finance committee of the Senate, and as secretary of the treasury in President Hayes' cabinet. In these positions he directed the financial policy of the nation with consummate skill.

Three years ago he resigned the office of senator, and soon afterward was appointed secretary of state by President McKinley. He resigned the secretaryship early in the summer of 1898.

Secretary Hay, in common with everybody else in Washington, was surprised at the announcement of the Anglo-German agreement upon a Chinese programme, and he was even more pleased than surprised. With Germany and England standing against the dismemberment of China, land grabbing on the part of any of the powers, and for the permanent maintenance of the commercial open door in China, we are absolutely sure to get all we desire—an open field and no favors in the trade of China. It may be that England and Germany were actuated by a desire to head off Russia, rather than to aid us in holding our trade rights in China, but that doesn't concern us. The important thing about the combination is that it will aid us. That is sufficient for us. It has been the policy of this government from the first to oppose any dismemberment of China. Therefore, the Anglo-German agreement, whatever may have brought it about, is an endorsement of the policy of this government as announced last July.

President McKinley is naturally pleased with the political news he is getting, which indicates his own triumph re-election and the election of the republican majority of the House. This news has been growing more and more convincing since the registration in a number of states has been under way. Instead of the light registration which was feared on account of over-confidence on the part of the republicans, there has so far been a registration which makes it look as though the popular vote would exceed that cast four years ago, which was unusually heavy, and that makes republican victory as near certain as anything not yet actually accomplished can possibly be. Shrewd political observers are now predicting an absolute collapse of the Bryan campaign before election day and a republican tidal wave. Whether it will go that far is, of course, a question, but there are certainly signs in plenty to justify those predictions.

Recently Mr. Bryan was asked by a correspondent of the New York Herald whether he would pay government bonds in silver if he became president, and he replied: "Say that Mr. Bryan declines to be interviewed on that subject." He could not say "yes" without setting the whole East and a good part of the West against him; he could not say "no" without turning his back on all his silverite associates and repudiating his speeches of four years ago.

The young men's democratic club of Boston, one of the strongest political organizations in Massachusetts, has

Stepped Into Live Coals.  
"When a child I burned my foot frightfully," writes W. H. Eads, of Jonesville, Va., "which caused horrible leg sores for 30 years, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured me after everything else failed." Infallible for burns, scalds, cuts, sores, bruises and piles. Sold by WIGGINS & MOORE, 25c.



"UNCLE THANIEL" ROBBINS,  
Age 103, March 13, 1900.

One of THE AMERICAN'S correspondents writes:

What is all this hullabaloo about the Deer Isle sailors that has been going on for the past three or four years? The sailors down there are not one whit better than a hundred or more that could be picked up in this town of Tremont and of Cranberry Isles, all American born and bred for half a dozen generations back, who have been on the sea loustering, cod fishing or coasting since a week or two after they were born. The Deer Islanders have the advantage of a lot of free advertising, and that's all the difference. The Maine sailor, born and bred, is a splendid type of American manhood—hardy, intelligent, resourceful, not a talker, never a boaster, and always sober. May his tribe increase. But let it be distinctly understood that Deer Isle has not a monopoly of them.

The Bangor News last week had this to say of a Bucksport boy:

The Shaw business college enrolled this week a young man whose career thus far has been quite remarkable for his years, and who resigned a lucrative government office to take a course in business methods, shorthand and typewriting. His name is Frederick W. Smith, and he hails from Bucksport, where lots of smart men have been raised. In 1898, when he had passed his majority but a few weeks, he was elected a member of the board of selectmen, receiving almost the entire vote, having 365 ballots, the largest number cast for a candidate in years. He qualified and served in a very satisfactory manner, the youngest selectman in the county. He had entire charge of the town accounts, and at the end of the year was especially commended for their neatness and accuracy. Mr. Smith's judgment on the many vexatious matters which arise in the affairs of a large town was considered equal to that of his older associates, and carried weight accordingly. The town has a bonded debt, several trust funds, and a large number of scattered and troublesome paupers, all requiring careful attention. Mr. Smith has also been the assistant postmaster of Bucksport for nearly five years, which position he has filled very acceptably. He is one of the proprietors of the Fort Knox steam laundry, a flourishing enterprise.

Two Stonington Men Drowned.

STONINGTON, Oct. 23 (special)—Harry Nevils and a companion named Hutchinson were drowned Tuesday of last week, near Merchant's Island, by the capsizing of their boat in a squall. Boats have been dragging in the vicinity for some days, but neither the bodies nor boat have been recovered.

Bar Harbor Schooner Damaged.

Schooner "Vanguard", owned by Lawrence Bros., of Bar Harbor, arrived at Machias Wednesday, towed by the steamer "Sawyer", after having been ashore at Pond Cove, near Milbridge. She is badly damaged, and it will be necessary to place her on the marine railway for repairs.



"AUNT SALOME" SELLERS,  
Age 103, Oct. 15, 1900.

OBITUARY.

EBEN C. CHATTO.

EAST SURRY, Oct. 22 (special)—Eben C. Chatto died at Brooksville, Oct. 17. He was born at Deer Isle, May 5, 1837, being the eldest of a family of ten children. He was educated in the common schools of the town. At the age of seventeen a white swelling came upon his knee, and he had to submit to an amputation of his leg. After his recovery he attended a high school and began to teach, in which vocation he was very successful and is spoken of to-day as one of the foremost teachers of his day in the town of Deer Isle. He had a very keen mind and great business ability.

At the age of twenty-five he married Lavinia, daughter of Charles Chatto, of Bluehill, and moved to that town where he engaged in the business of porgy fishing. While a resident of that town he was converted, and with others formed the Free Baptist church, being one of its first deacons. Soon afterward he was licensed by the Ellsworth quarterly meeting as a preacher, when vocation he followed some three years. Being a cripple, and having a growing family and a large fishing business to attend to, he could not go from home to preach, but continued an energetic worker in Sabbath school and church.

About 1897 he moved to Brooksville and bought the largest variety store in the town. Many prophesied that he would lose what he had gained by hard labor, but he was of that make-up that knew no such word as fail. After several years there he moved to Buck's Harbor in the same town, and entered the granite business. He built a large store and wharf, and made a success of all his undertakings. Besides his large business, he served his town many years as an officer, either as selectman or one of the school committee. He was justly of the peace, and did a large amount of business in that line.

About twelve years ago, desiring a more quiet life, he bought a farm in Surry where he and his wife resided about ten years. He greatly improved both the farm and buildings, buying the place on each side of him until he owned the largest farm in town. He sold the farm to Rev. A. L. Hudson, of Buffalo, N. Y., two years ago, and returned to Brooksville, where he had large property interests, and to be with his children. Since moving there he has built the Hotel Chatto, which he sold to his son, and bought the homestead of Newman Littlefield, which was being thoroughly repaired at the time of his death. Thus he was busy to the end, which came suddenly but not unexpectedly as he was prostrated last May with paralysis from which he never fully recovered.

He leaves a widow who has always helped in all his enterprises, one son, M. D. Chatto, of Brooksville, and four daughters. His affection for all his relatives was very strong. His son and daughters were always children to him, and they will miss him more than most fathers are missed.

Deer Isle Schooner Lost.

DEER ISLE, October 22 (special)—The schooner "Carrie E. Pickering", which is on the sands of Cape Henlopen, and will perhaps be a total loss, is one of the best-known vessels belonging to this place.

THE AMERICAN, within the passing year, published notes regarding her history. She was built in Bangor thirty-one years ago, and has been a remarkably successful craft. The first twelve years of her life she was commanded by Judson Torrey, the present town treasurer, and at one time by B. G. Barbour—a long-time selectman.

During the whole of her long career only four different men have commanded her, and they of the best nautical material that the island has produced. In late years Capt. E. L. Haskell has been the managing owner, and for his wife the vessel was named when Mrs. Haskell was but a child.

It is a fact worth noting that the vessels built in the districts of Bangor and Belfast in those years, as well as before and later, have worn most remarkably well, and carried their years as safely and gracefully as those that have come from any yards in this country.

Mt. Desert Local Union.

The Mount Desert Local Union of Christian Endeavor and Epworth leagues will hold its next meeting at Somesville, on Saturday, Nov. 3.

The meeting will open at 10 a. m. Basket lunch at noon. The entertaining society will furnish tea and coffee free.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Advertisements.

STATE OF MAINE.

List of Candidates Nominated to be Voted for in the State of Maine, November 6th, 1900.

To vote a Straight Ticket, mark a Cross X in the Square over the Party Name. To vote a Split Ticket, mark X in the Square over the Party Name, erase printed name in list under X and fill in new name. BYRON BOYD, Secretary of State.

REPUBLICAN	DEMOCRAT	PROHIBITION	SOCIALIST
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For Electors of PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT	For Electors of PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT	For Electors of PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT	For Electors of PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT
Joseph O. Smith of Skowhegan George P. Wescott of Portland Charles F. Libby of Portland James W. Wakefield of Bath Fred Atwood of Winterport Almon H. Fogg of Houlton	George E. Hughes of Bath David L. Parker of Danforth Cornelius Horigan of Biddeford J. S. P. H. Wilson of Auburn Edgar L. Jones of Waterville Frederick W. Knowlton of Old Town	James Perrigo of Portland Henry Woodward of Winthrop Edward T. Burrows of Portland John H. Stacey of Phippsburg Charles H. Clary of Hallowell James D. Clifford of Island Falls	Louis E. Bramhall of Camden Charles L. Fox of Portland Fred E. Irish of Portland Lewis J. Hills of Warren W. G. Hapgood of Skowhegan George W. Saunders of Lubec

"Look here," exclaimed the irate customer as he entered the meat shop, "that steak you sent me this morning is no good—it's from the back of the neck." "Vel, dat was all right, ain't it?" answered the butcher. "All beef vat I sell was of der neck back. Dere vas nothings but horns by de frond of dot neck already."

E. W. Howe

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**Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets**  
The remedy that cures a cold in one day

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BIICYCLE—A first-class, brand new wheel, 1000 model. List at \$80. Will be sold at a great bargain. Inquire at THE AMERICAN office.

HOUSE on Pine St. for sale on easy terms, or to rent. Inquire of A. I. SAUNDERS, American house, Ellsworth.

Found.

FOUND—Light overcoat left on buckboard during fair and carnival. Owner may have same by proving property and paying charges. CLIFTON WOODWARD, Ellsworth.

To Let.

ROOMS in my house including all on first floor. Apply at 13 Central St. SOPHIA J. CHILCOTT.

STORE—Rooms—first floor and basement—in Masonic block on State street, until recently occupied by the Hancock County Publishing Co. Inquire of JOHN B. REDMAN, agent, in same building.

Special Notices.

CARD OF THANKS.

WE wish to thank our many friends for their sympathy and favors during the last illness of our daughter Jennie, and for the flowers which were donated at her funeral. MR. AND MRS. JOHN W. SAUNDERS. Bluehill, Oct. 22, 1900.

Advertisements.

**HAND-MADE  
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STATE OF MAINE.

Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Resident Owners.

Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Verona, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1899.

THE following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Verona, for the year 1899, committed to me for collection for said town, on the twenty-sixth day of August, 1899, remains unpaid, and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient and necessary to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at the town house, in said town, on the first Monday of December, 1900, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Name of owner, description of property.	Amount of tax due & charges.
Abbott, Dudley, 4 weir privilege.	\$ 1.75
Bowden, James A. part of homestead.	1.75
Carlisle, Robert T. Gore lot, 3/4 of lot 23, lot 48 lot 13, and lot 25.	7.60
Gray, Elie, Benj. Chittie's homestead.	5.35
Hanson, Mrs. Kate, homestead.	18.40
Lock and Sluce Co. dam and privilege at the Falls and Mill lot.	76.10

I. R. SAUNDERS, Collector of taxes of the town of Verona.

Oct. 22, 1900.

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THE following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Verona, for the year 1899, committed to me for collection for said town, on the first day of July, 1899, remains unpaid, and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at the school house in said town, on the first Monday of December, 1900, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Name of owner, description of property.	Value.	Chgs.
Bridges, Reuel P. Bucksport, Me., 1/2 house.	\$125	\$3.44
Cummings, Annie, Bangor, Me., land, 10 acres.	100	3.90
Grant, James, (Massachusetts), land, 3/4 acre.	75	2.46
Heirs of W. C. Collins (Gloucester, Mass.), land, 30 acres.	500	6.85
Rogers, E. W. South Orlington, Me., 1 cottage and lot.	150	3.93

H. D. HEATH, Collector of taxes of the town of Verona.

Verona, October 20, 1900.

COLLECTOR'S NOTICE OF SALE.

THE following is a list of taxes on real estate of resident and non-resident owners in Plantation No. 8, Hancock county, Maine, for the year a. d. 1899, committed to me for collection for said plantation, on the eighth day of April, a. d. 1899, remaining unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at the residence of W. H. RANCHIN in said plantation, on the first Monday of December, 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

Name of owner, description of property.	Value.	Total tax unpaid.
Mary C. Austin, 575 acres described in deed recorded in Hancock county registry of deeds, vol. 253, page 533.	\$1,470.00	
450 acres described in deed above referred to in vol. 253, page 533.	900.00	
100 acres described in deed recorded in said registry, vol. 229, page 425.	100.00	\$32.30

W. H. RANCHIN, Collector for Plantation No. 8, Hancock county, Me.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Grant Scott, late of Winter Harbor, in the county of Hancock, deceased, no bonds being required by the terms of said will. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. Sept. 4, a. d. 1900. AMOS E. SMALL.



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**BARGAIN NO. 1**—Broken lots of men's heavy fleece-lined shirts and drawers. Regular price, 50c; our price to close them out, 39c**BARGAIN NO. 2**—Men's fine, heavy, fleece-lined shirts and drawers, all sizes, would be cheap at 50c. In order to unload them quick we have marked them 39c**BARGAIN NO. 3**—Men's extra fine, fleece-lined shirts and drawers, regular price everywhere 75c. We shall close them at 50c

These lines are three of the best values that will be shown in the city this fall by any firm.

## W. R. PARKER CLOTHING CO.,

Ellsworth, Maine.

## HANCOCK S. J. COURT.

PAST WEEK HAS BEEN AN INTERESTING ONE.

TWO IMPORTANT CASES TRIED—THE SELLERS-CLEMENT SLANDER CASE—ADJOURNMENT YESTERDAY.

**THE COURT.**  
Presiding Justice—ANDREW P. WISWELL.  
Clerk—JOHN F. KNOWLTON.  
County Attorney—J. E. BUNKER, JR.  
Sheriff—LEWIS F. HOOPER.  
Clerk—WILLIAM B. HIGGINS, Bar Harbor.  
Deputies—J. M. VOIGT, Castine; A. H. GINN, Bucksport; H. N. DORRITY, Sedgwick; JAMES HILL, Gouldsboro.  
Scriber—C. O. BARROWS, Portland.  
Messenger—F. E. TILLEY.

The October term of the supreme judicial court for Hancock county was finally adjourned yesterday, the thirteenth day. One hundred and three cases came off the civil docket this term—sixty-three by judgment, forty by entry of neither party. Twelve divorces were decreed. There were 122 new entries, which is more than the average number.

There were three jury trials during the term—one civil case, one equity case and one criminal case.

The clerk received \$4,140 from liquor fines.

**SELLERS-CLEMENT SLANDER CASE.**  
The suit of Mrs. Eva M. Sellers, of Penobscot, against William B. Clement, of the same town, for slander, was of an unusual nature, and attracted much attention.

Mrs. Sellers, who is the wife of George L. Sellers, proprietor of the hotel at Penobscot, sued William B. Clement, a prosperous farmer, for \$10,000 damages for slander. Mrs. Sellers was represented in court by H. H. Patten, of Bangor, and O. F. Fellows, of Bucksport, and Mr. Clement by E. E. Chase, of Bluehill, and A. W. King, of Ellsworth. The plaintiff alleged that the defendant was the author of anonymous letters written to her and her husband, attacking her character, and couched in indecent and insulting language; that he also publicly slandered her in stores and other places in the town of Penobscot, accusing her of criminal intimacy with traveling salesmen who stop at the Sellers' hotel, and using insulting and indecent language concerning her.

The defense set up a plea of insanity, to meet which the prosecution attempted to show by the evidence that the defendant had been addicted to the immoderate use of liquor, and that the insanity alleged was really the result of excessive use of liquor. Expert testimony was heard on both sides bearing on Mr. Clement's mental condition and his responsibility for his words.

An important ruling, which the law court may be called to pass upon, was made by Chief Justice Wiswell in his charge to the jury in this case. He instructed the jury that if the defendant, when he made the defamatory statements regarding the plaintiff, was insane to such a degree that he did not know the meaning of the words used, and it was known to his hearers that he was insane, then there would be no damage and no malice; it would be a complete defense. But if it was not known to his hearers when he spoke the defamatory words that he was insane, then there would be damage, even though at the time the defendant himself did not know what he was saying.

The case went to the jury at 11 o'clock Friday morning. At 3:20 o'clock the jury returned a verdict of \$2,000 for plaintiff. Defendant's counsel has filed motion for new trial.

**TRIBOU VS. TRIBOU.**

Another case of peculiar interest tried last week was that of Tribou vs. Tribou, which went on trial immediately after the slander case went to the jury. This was a suit in equity, involving property to the value of \$20,000. The complainant was Miss Marcia H. Tribou, of New York, and the respondent, Capt. Frederick C. Tribou, of South Paris, Me. Miss Tribou asked to have certain deeds to real and personal property, made by her to the respondent, set aside on the ground that she was unduly influenced by false representation and fraud, to sign the papers.

The complainant is the granddaughter of the late Silas K. Tribou, of Bucksport, who died in 1899, leaving an estate which the inventory shows to be worth \$60,000, about \$5,000 of which is in real estate and the balance in bonds and securities. Silas K. Tribou had three children—Charles H., the father of the complainant in this case, Frederick C., the respondent, and Rebecca, who lives with her brother in South Paris. By the will of Silas K. Tribou, executed in 1887, the property was about equally divided among his three children. Charles, however, the father of the complainant, died before his father, and the daughter, the sole heir, came into the estate of her father under her grandfather's will. The respondent, however, claims that there was a codicil to the will by which the share of Charles H. would pass at his death to Frederick C. and Rebecca.

Soon after the death of her grandfather, Miss Tribou's uncle invited her to visit him at his home in South Paris, which she did, remaining there about ten days. It was during this visit, she alleges, that her uncle induced her, by misrepresentation and fraud, to leave his house, right, title and interest in her grandfather's estate, and to give him a quitclaim deed or the same for \$10,000, or about one-half what the complainant now alleges to be her share of the estate.

The complainant testified that her uncle told her that he would leave his house, right, title and interest in her grandfather's estate, and to give him a quitclaim deed or the same for \$10,000, or about one-half what the complainant now alleges to be her share of the estate.

The respondent testified that undue influence had been used to induce Miss Tribou to sign the deed and bill of sale, or that the value of the estate was misrepresented or concealed from her; also that certain bills against the estate materially lessened her share in it. The case was submitted to the jury on two questions in issue:

1. Was the complainant induced or compelled by undue influence, duress, fraud, or misrepresentation, or was the consideration on the part of the respondent to execute and deliver to the respondent the deed and bill of sale referred to in the plaintiff's bill?

2. Were said deed and bill of sale given without consideration, or was the consideration, if any, for said instruments, so grossly inadequate under all the circumstances that the same should not be regarded by a court of equity, in accordance with the instructions given, as a valid consideration for the transaction?

To both questions the jury answered "Yes."

**THE ASSIGNED LIST.**

Following is the assigned list, with

**What Shall We Have for Dessert?**

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocer's to-day. 10 cts.

record of disposal of cases to date, not previously reported:

321. Young vs. Casner. King; Hale & Hamlin. Neither party.  
429. Witherie vs. Castine Water Co. Deasy; Stearns. Motion to dismiss filed.  
431. Sellers vs. Clement. Patten; Chase. Verdict for plaintiff, \$2,000.  
293. Hutchings vs. Stuart. Burnham; Stuart. Damages to be assessed by the clerk.  
484. Nicholson vs. M. C. H. R. Cunningham; Fellows; Woodward. Continued.  
237. Tribou vs. Tribou. Hale & Hamlin; Fellows. Verdict for plaintiff.  
413. Linscott vs. Burnham. Clark; Burnham. Neither party.

**DIVORCES DECREED.**

Divorces have been decreed as follows: Lottie L. Rich, of Long Island, libellant, from Martin H. Rich, for cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of two minor children given to libellant. Peters for libellant.

Elizabeth K. Treadwell, of Ellsworth Falls, libellant, from Helen Treadwell, for utter desertion. Giles for libellant. Eliza E. McVeigh, of Ellsworth, libellant, from Hugh McVeigh, for adultery. Smith for libellant.

James J. Farley, of Bar Harbor, libellant, from Fanny, for desertion. E. S. Clark for libellant.

Ciera L. Ellis, of Orland, libellant, from William H. Ellis, for cruel and abusive treatment. Name of libellant changed to Clara L. Stevens. Giles for libellant.

Lois E. Carter, of Surry, libellant, from Alvin Carter, for cruel and abusive treatment. Redman for libellant; Fellows for libellee.

Clara A. Gasper, of Surry, libellant, from Herbert A. Gasper, for cruel and abusive treatment. Mason for libellant; King for libellee.

Elizabeth C. Webster, of Bar Harbor, libellant, from Benjamin S. Webster, for cruel and abusive treatment. Bunker for libellant.

**A NEW CITIZEN.**

Naturalization papers were granted to Oke Swanson, of Bar Harbor, Friday.

**A NEW LAWYER.**

William E. Whiting, of Ellsworth, took his examination for admission to the Hancock county bar, passed successfully, and was admitted yesterday.

William E. Whiting is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Whiting, of Ellsworth. He was born in Ellsworth, Aug. 20, 1875, and was educated in the common schools and high school of the city. He was a member of the class of '98 of the high school, but was compelled to leave school a short time before graduation, by illness. For the past two years he has been reading law in the office of John A. Peters, Jr. Mr. Whiting left last night for Boston to enter the Boston University law school for a two years' course.

**CRIMINAL DOCKET.**

In the case of Aiden V. Carter, of West Ellsworth, found guilty of receiving stolen goods, motion of counsel for arrest of judgment was overruled, and execution of the sentence fixed. Carter is on bonds at \$800, pending report of law court.

Harry F. Moor, John H. Bresnahan, Matilda A. Carter and James Carter went surety for Carter's appearance at court from term to term.

John E. Pierce, of Bar Harbor, indicted for larceny, and who pleaded guilty, was sentenced to two years in State prison.

George H. Patterson, of Ellsworth, indicted for larceny, and who pleaded guilty, was sentenced to three months in the county jail.

Arthur G. Gutt, of Bar Harbor, indicted for larceny, pleaded guilty. Sentence suspended during good behavior. Released on personal recognizance.

Case against Clarence Bell, of Bar Harbor, indicted for larceny, was not pressed on payment of costs.

Case against Daniel H. Herlihy, indicted for maintaining nuisance, was not pressed.

Case against Llewellyn P. Alley, of Ellsworth, for assault and battery, on appeal from Ellsworth municipal court, was not pressed for want of sufficient evidence.

## MARINE LIST.

## Ellsworth Port.

## ARRIVED

Wednesday, Oct 17

Sch Samuel Lewis, Pratt, for Bangor Light

## SAILED

Thursday, Oct 18

Sch Lulu W. Eppes, Jordan, lumber for Hingham

## ARRIVED

Friday, Oct 19

Sch Julia Frances, Alley

Sch Odell, McDonald, coal F S Lord

## SAILED

Saturday, Oct 20

Sch Storm Petrel, Bonsey, Rondout, staves

## ARRIVED

Monday, Oct 22

Sch Carressa, Harvey, Seal Harbor

## SAILED

Tuesday, Oct 23

Sch Odell, McDonald, Bangor

## Hancock County Ports.

WEST SULLIVAN—At Oct 15, schs Mary B. Wellington, Crosby, Portland; G W Collins, Johnson, Boston; M C Moseley, Grant, Boston

At Oct 19, schs Abbie Cole, Portland; G W Collins, Johnson, Boston; M C Moseley, Grant, Boston

At Oct 23, schs Westboro, Portland; Boston; Grace Ramsdell, Portland

Sid Oct 16, sch Mildred A. Pope, Irona, with curbside from Crabtree, for Fair Haven

Sid Oct 17, sch W R Perkins, Gay, with paying from Hooper, Harvey & Co, for New York

Sid Oct 18, schs M C Moseley, Grant, with curbside from Crabtree, for Fair Haven

Sid Oct 20, schs G W Collins, Johnson, with curbside from Hooper, Harvey & Co, for Boston

Victory, Dyer, with wood and seaweed from Burnham, for Rockland

## Domestic Ports.

BOSTON—At Oct 20, sch Jas A Webster, Webster, Vinehaven

At Oct 19, schs Lillian Woodruff, Gold Coast Africa; Coquette, Franklin

Sid Oct 19, schs Susan, Stonington

Sid Oct 18, schs S C Hart, New York for Bar Harbor

At Oct 22, schs H K Kelley, Newport News

At Oct 21, schs Atlas, Stonington

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**Franklin.**  
Augustus Bunker left for Spruce Head last Friday.

Mrs. Carrie Hovey is visiting her sister in Salem, N. H.

John W. Taft, of Campbell, Mass., was in town last week for brief calls on relatives.

Station Agent Green and Mrs. Green have taken rent in Mrs. Mintie Blaisdell's house.

Joseph H. West and S. O. Hardison are deep-sea fishing with Crosby Wooster, of Hancock.

The western division ministerial association convenes at the Methodist church next week.

Mrs. George A. Martin came by train from Calais Monday, stopping off here for a short time.

Mrs. Hannah Doyle and son Elery are at home, after spending several weeks at East Sullivan.

Miss Bertha Barton, accompanied by Miss Carrie Butler, of Sullivan, left for Bangor last Friday to spend the winter.

Mrs. Haley and daughter Olive, on their way to their home in Calais, spent Sunday in town with Harry Hovey and wife.

Mrs. J. E. Dunn left for Millinocket last Tuesday, being called there by the illness of her daughter Miss Clara. Numerous friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Garcelon, the second son of Curtis Hooper, is ill with typhoid fever at Mary Fletcher hospital, Burlington, Vt. Friends are glad to hear that late dispatches are favorable.

Oct. 15. **B.**  
Stonington.

Lillian Flye is in Boston on business.

Mrs. Scott Geyer is visiting friends in Boston.

H. M. Thayer and Charles Colomy went to Boston Saturday.

H. B. Thurlow is having the steamer "Arlene" recaulked and painted.

Charles Thurlow went to work Monday on Goss & Smith's quarry as foreman.

John Joyce, who has been on steam yacht "Narada", came home last week.

Schooner "Charles Hunt" loaded stone this week from the quarry of Waite & Geyer.

Mrs. Maggie Fifield, who has been visiting her sister in Rockport, came home Thursday.

Sanford Grey, who has had charge of a yacht in New York the past season, is home for the winter.

Alonso Dunham and Albert Allen, of Gloucester, formerly of this place, were here last week a few days.

Schooner "Loduska", Capt. Johnson, left Friday for Machiasport, where she will have a new mainmast put in.

The lobster fishermen are shipping their lobsters direct to the dealers in Boston instead of selling to local buyers.

Oct. 15. **EUGENE.**  
West Tremont.

O. Rich and George W. Davis have returned from Deer Isle.

Walter Lunt and George Walls, who have been to Portland, have returned.

Willard Rich, steward of the schooner "J. M. Harlow", came home to see the new daughter, born Oct. 6.

Mrs. Walter Lunt and Mrs. Winfield Sprague have gone to Bangor. Mrs. Sprague will meet her husband there.

Mrs. Nettie C. Tinker, of Minutun, and Mrs. Sylvester, of Sedgewick, have opened millinery rooms at Mrs. Lillian Murphy's.

Capt. Charles P. Lunt and brother Everett came home from Bangor for a short visit. His wife returned to Bangor with him to remain while his vessel was being loaded.

Gardner Lawson and family have moved to their new home, the Charles Branscomb house. Edward H. Lunt, the former occupant, has moved to the house Mr. Lawson has vacated, formerly the Z. T. Clark house.

Oct. 22. **THELMA.**  
Amherst.

Miss May Scott, of Brewer, is the guest of her parents, Samuel Scott and wife.

Ellis Giles, who is employed at Lewiston, is at home for a few weeks' vacation.

Elmer Rowe, who has been at Hudson visiting relatives, returned home last week.

Arthur Anderson, who has been home on a vacation, returned to Bar Harbor Saturday.

Willis Sumner went to Bangor Monday, where he will have employment in the shoe factory.

Miss Winifred Jackson, of Beachmont, Mass., was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Seth Kenniston, last week.

Elijah Richardson and wife were at Stoughton last week, visiting their daughter, Mrs. Dora Cullens.

Oct. 16. **SCOTT.**  
Sullivan.

Mrs. W. L. Fernald was called to Sullivan by the death of her mother, Mrs. Meynell.

Mrs. Kincaid, after making her father, William Kittredge, a visit, has returned to her home in Derry, N. H.

Mrs. Marcey is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Nash, in New York. Mrs. Dancie Somes and Miss Mary Somes

accompanied her. Miss Somes will remain in Boston awhile.

F. W. Barker, a former pastor here, is preaching in Brooks. He also preaches in Jackson, six miles from Brooks. The Brooks church has been without a pastor for some time, and Mr. Barker is there to build it up. Mrs. Charles Leland has lately paid them a visit.

Oct. 16. **H.**  
Southwest Harbor.

Madd Holmes, Gladys and Jessie Mayo returned from a visit to Boston Saturday.

Mrs. Nathan Clark and Mrs. A. J. Robinson have gone to Boston for a week's visit.

J. T. R. Freeman left on the "Frank Jones" last Wednesday for Machias, thence by steamer and rail to Nova Scotia for a brief sojourn.

Rev. Mr. Adams, of Bangor theological school, preached at the Congregational church last Sunday morning, and in the afternoon and evening at Bass Harbor.

Mrs. Ada Parker has recently painted her place at Clark's Point. A more attractive combination of color in outside painting cannot be found in this village.

A gang of men, under superintendency of Arthur Richardson, have been digging a drainage way from the Farnham place across the Freeman field to the harbor.

Capt. William Gilley is at work on some skills for summer parties. The captain can build as neat and substantial a boat as any builder in the good old Maine State of boat-builders and men.

Mrs. Rebecca Carroll has had the Long place, recently purchased by herself and girls, thoroughly repaired and painted outside and inside, and has taken up her residence there. It is good to have this family of bright young people located in the village.

The ladies' sewing circle of the Congregational church met with Mrs. Thomas Holmes Tuesday afternoon. The ladies are getting ready a fair for the last of November, the entertainment for which is going to be something absolutely original.

Fred J. Higgins, who is at Pittsfield attending the academy, preparatory to a course in college, is playing on the school football eleven. Fred, with his six foot two inches of length and 175 pounds of young blood and muscle, is making a hustling football player. In a recent game he won the honors of the field.

The literary circle met last Tuesday evening and discussed Chamisso's strange story of "Peter Schlemihl the Shadowless Man". How many people in Hancock county ever heard of it? No, it is not a dime novel nor one of Old Sleuth's. It is a classic, and one of the most original things ever written.

Miss Mary Snow, of Bangor, and Miss Florence Greer, of Chicago, a graduate of Vassar college, 1899, who have been stopping at the Dickey cottage since last July, have gone to Bangor for the winter. Miss Snow is so much pleased with this place that she intends returning the first pleasant day next spring after the thermometer has got one point above freezing.

Capt. Keene, of Manset, has hauled up his steam launch "Bismarck", which accounts for some Endeavorers from Southwest Harbor and Manset not getting over to Northeast Harbor to the County C. E. convention. The rough, windy weather made it too risky for amateurs to row over with a boat-load of ladies. A little strip of deep water half a mile wide will separate communities more than ten miles of dry land.

A backboard load of ladies from the Eastern Star lodge went to Bar Harbor last Tuesday evening to visit the sister lodge there. They said they got back at 12 o'clock, but whether that meant 12 o'clock that night or 12 o'clock the next day is not stated. It is evidently fast coming to the condition of things that men will have to get up in the morning and not only make fires but get breakfast, dress the children and nurse the baby, while the wife of their hearts is off on a lodge racket.

Oct. 22. **A. B. C.**  
South Deer Isle.

J. P. Robbins, who has been ill for two or three weeks, is out again.

George Powers and W. Haskell arrived home this week from their season's yachting.

J. E. Small and wife left this week for Portland and vicinity, where they will visit friends for a few days.

Jeremiah Greenlaw and wife left here for Rockland Thursday. They expect to spend the winter there with their children.

Capt. Jason Greenlaw's vessel ran ashore in Port Clyde in one of last week's gales, damaging her rudder, and making it necessary to haul her on the railway for repairs. The crew is safe.

There was no church service here Oct. 14, owing to the storm. Thursday evening there was a general class meeting, members from this and the lower district attending. Rev. Mr. Hill took charge of the meeting.

E. P. Cole and family arrived from Brooklin last week to look out for the Hatch homestead and prepare it for winter. Mr. Cole returned to Brooklin Saturday, but the family will remain a few days longer.

Apple gathering is going on quite briskly this week. The wind "took a hand" in it Sunday and Tuesday night, and the owners are completing the job. There is a large crop of small fruit, and no sale for it at present.

Oct. 19. **Ego.**  
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## COUNTY NEWS.

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**Brooklin.**  
Loren Herrick and family have moved to Mt. Desert.

Dr. L. W. Hart, of Deer Isle, has been in town for a week.

Flora Abril has gone to Conway, N. H., to spend the winter.

Mrs. Estelle Freethy has gone to Boston for medical treatment.

Mrs. J. B. Babson and Mrs. M. A. Flye and son went to Boston Monday.

Mrs. A. H. Sherman, who was called to Somerville, Mass., by the death of her father, arrived home to-day.

Mrs. P. E. Lufkin and daughter Edith, who have been in Woburn, Mass., for a few weeks, returned home Saturday.

Miss E. A. Mayo, who has been in Boston and Swan's Island on business for the past three weeks, returned home Monday.

Rev. Gowen C. Wilson, of Portland, State superintendent of bible society of Maine, gave an interesting talk in the Baptist church Sunday morning.

The Brooklin library association is in running order, with a circulation of three hundred volumes. Books are let out twice a week, Tuesdays and Fridays. E. A. Mayo is librarian.

The community was saddened to hear of the death of Fred Mayo, younger son of the Rev. G. Mayo, a former pastor of this place, now of Waterville. The family have the sympathy of all.

Oct. 22. **UNE FEMME.**  
West Franklin.

Joseph G. Bunker is clerking for E. G. Burnham.

Sawing was resumed at Gordon's mill last week.

Mrs. McDonald is living at the W. E. Clark cottage.

L. S. Clark has his steam mill running, sawing shingles.

Enoch E. Coombs has bought the grist mill of G. L. Coombs.

Truman Blaisdell is loading a vessel with pointed fronts, at Bay View, for Boston.

Word has been received from Machias not to quarry any more black granite, as it is so hard to cut.

Maynard Butler has returned from Rumford Falls, where he has been at work on stone during the summer.

Linwood Coombs, who was at home from Milo for a few days on business, has returned. His wife accompanied him.

A West Franklin man thinks it would be favorable for grass next year, "if the ground would freeze before frost comes."

Oct. 20. **CH'ER.**  
Lamoine.

W. F. Hutchings went to Houlton last week for a few days deer hunting.

Miss Jennie Hodgkins was the guest of Charles Cousins and wife in Bangor last week.

Rev. J. S. Blair attended the county convention of Christian Endeavorers at Northeast Harbor last Thursday.

The second of the season's C. E. socials will be held in C. E. hall next Friday evening. The first one was very enjoyable.

Mrs. Emory Curtis spent last week in Boston. She visited her son, Joseph Burke, who is employed in a hotel in that city.

Capt. Fred Hodgkins will command the new schooner "Helena" now loading in Bath, for her first voyage. Capt. Charles Hodgkins, for whom the vessel was built, was in Bath last week looking after her interests.

Oct. 22. **H.**  
East Franklin.

Mrs. Oscar Harriman, who has been quite ill, is slowly recovering.

Miss May Patten, of Sullivan Centre, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. H. Rutter.

Harry Hardison returned home from Rumford Falls Monday night, Oct. 15, in poor health.

John R. Gordon, who has been at home on a short visit, has gone to Bar Harbor hoping to find employment.

Funeral services were held at the schoolhouse Friday, Oct. 19, for the eight-months-old child of Frank Cummings and wife, of Sullivan. Rev. H. F. Day officiated.

Oct. 22. **P. M.**  
East Lamoine.

Miss Helen DeIsle has returned from Franklin, where she has been employed.

Ten or fifteen men are employed on the government property, clearing and grading.

Mrs. Jennie Berry and daughter, of Bar Harbor, are visiting friends in East Lamoine.

A. I. Saunders and wife have been spending the past week at the "Old Homestead."

Oct. 22. **H.**  
West Sullivan.

The Eastern Star lodge had a special meeting Friday. Refreshments were served.

H. D. Gordon has put a stock of groceries in his store in addition to his fruit and confectionery business.

L. C. Hooper, who was a soldier in the war of the rebellion, died at his home Friday, after years of declining health. Mr. Hooper leaves six children. He had many friends, and was popular.

The grammar school closed a week ago, and the primary last Friday. Both were successful. Mr. Young, Miss Porter and Miss Bunker have been engaged to finish the year's work. The exercises in the primary and intermediate rooms Friday were a revelation to the visitors. The

A gentleman recently cured of dyspepsia gave the following appropriate rendering of Burns' famous blessing: "Some have meat and cannot eat, and some have none that want it; but we have meat and we can eat—Kodol Dyspepsia Cure be thanked." This preparation will digest what you eat. It instantly relieves and radically cures indigestion and all stomach disorders. WIGGIN & MOORE.

ladies in charge of the school are to be congratulated on the splendid work of the pupils. The pupils not absent one day were: Willie Ash, Florice Clark, Christie Gordon, Ernest Haskell, Florence Harvey, Rosa Hovey, Lillian Robertson, Clyde Robertson, Willie Pinkham.

Oct. 22. **G.**  
Franklin Road.

Henry Miles is in the station at Denysville with his brother Fred.

Emery DeBeck was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Stella Shaw, last week.

Lorenzo Foster and Ira Hagen were here Thursday surveying land on Kill-kenny stream.

Ney Killman, who was station agent here for twelve years, but now stationed at Lincoln, called on his many friends here last week.

Miss Carrie Goss, of Somerville, Mass., Mrs. Frank Lord, Mrs. Dennett and Mrs. Frankie Gray, of Ellsworth, called on Mrs. Fred Graves Thursday.

Miss Rebecca Butler made her grandfather, Freeman Butler, in Eastbrook a visit last Saturday, on her wheel. She returned Sunday morning—a distance of thirteen miles in less than 2½ hours.

Eben R. Tracy met with a painful accident while doing his barn chores. He was standing on a platform about eight inches high, when he became dizzy and fell to the floor striking on his right shoulder. He is now confined to the house.

Oct. 22. **G.**  
North Bluehill.

Lewis Gillis, little son of A. T. Gillis, is quite ill.

Charles C. D. Bowden spent a few days in Ellsworth last week.

Miss Marion Grindle is home from Bucksport for a few weeks.

Arthur Johnson, of Walnut Hills, Mass., visited at N. Bowden's recently.

There will be a harvest supper at the hall Wednesday evening, Oct. 24.

S. B. Billings gave an old-fashioned apple paring and J. L. Saunders a husking bee last week.

Daniel Emerton, Jr., came home Saturday from Mt. Waldo, convalescent from typhoid fever.

Mrs. John R. Grindle, who has been visiting relatives at Wayne, came home Saturday on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Sidney Gray, of South Penobscot.

Oct. 22. **W.**  
East Bluehill.

S. A. Long is in Ellsworth attending court as jurymen.

Miss Margaret Ashworth, who has been visiting at Mount Waldo and Winterport, returned last Saturday.

Edgar Blodgett, of North Brooksville, was in the village last Saturday and Sunday. He was the guest of his sister, Mrs. S. A. Long.

Schooner "Waldron Holmes", Medbury Eaton master, arrived from Portland last Tuesday with freight for the grange store and L. B. Grindle.

Oct. 22. **G.**  
Center.

Mrs. Beils Hodgdon has gone to Bar Harbor for a few days.

Mrs. Loren Herrick has moved into the house formerly owned by W. S. Dow.

The sociablest W. W. Hodgdon's Saturday evening was well attended. All pronounced it a good time. Proceeds, \$12.50.

Oct. 22. **I.**  
Advertisements.

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**East Surry.**  
A fine boy arrived at the home of Capt. S. J. Treworgy Saturday, Oct. 20.

Mrs. Clara Fogg, of Pownal, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. M. D. Chatto.

D. W. Winchester starts for Charleston this morning in company with Rev. Mr. Hunt.

Mrs. A. L. Hudson, of Buffalo, who has a summer residence at this place, is critically ill at her home in Buffalo.

Rev. Sarah Treworgy, pastor of the North Sedgewick Baptist church, preached at Rural Hall Sunday morning to a large congregation.

Rev. Andrew Gray, who is seriously ill at the home of Simon Flood, falls each day. It is only a matter of a few days to the end of his life. His mind is as clear and keen as ever. He is tenderly cared for by Mr. and Mrs. Flood.

Oct. 22. **C.**  
Sullivan.







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## COUNTY NEWS.

For Additional County News, see other pages.

West Brooksville.  
Steamer "Marjorie" makes her last regular trip to Bangor to-day.

Mrs. Sidney Hawes and Miss Lizzie Hawes are in Boston visiting friends.

Capt. Robert M. Tapley, bark "St. James", arrived at San Francisco, Oct. 18, all safe.

Pearl Tapley left on Saturday, for Frankfort, to join the schooner "Celia F.", Capt. Nelson Lord.

Capt. George Stevens is at home from New Haven, Conn. His steamer, the "Thomas Walsh", is laid up for a few weeks.

Miss Emma Pierce, of Hampden, who

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attends the normal school at Castine, was the guest of Miss Edith Stevens Saturday and Sunday.

Oct. 22. Tomson.

Eastbrook.  
Mrs. Susan Johnson, of East Sullivan, is visiting relatives here.

J. W. Curtis spent a few days with his daughter in South Gouldsboro last week.

Mrs. Mabel Bunker, of South Gouldsboro, is visiting her parents, J. W. Curtis and wife.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Moses Wilbur Oct. 14. It is not a very tall girl, measuring less than fourteen inches, but seems perfectly well and able to assert its importance. This is the second three-pound baby born in this town this summer.

Oct. 22. B.

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## COUNTY NEWS.

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Bucksport.  
Alfred L. Smith died Tuesday night after a long illness, aged sixty-five years. Mr. Smith was a successful farmer, and held in high esteem by all who knew him.

At the special town meeting last week to settle the question of tax collection and compensation for the same, J. Wesley Eldridge was elected collector, and the rate fixed at 4 per cent.

Mrs. Helen A. Clements, wife of George W. Clements, died at Millvale Sunday after a long illness, at the age of forty-seven years. Besides a husband, recently taken to the insane asylum at Augusta, three children, two daughters and one son, survive.

The engagement is announced of two well-known Bucksport people—Horece C. Buck and Mrs. Billie Grindle. Mr. Buck is one of the town's most prominent business men, being the proprietor of the John Buck store. Mrs. Grindle is equally as popular and perhaps more widely known as the proprietor of Grindle's confectionery.

The seminary football team redeemed itself for its defeat at the hands of Bangor high school two weeks ago. Last Saturday they turned the tables on the Bangor boys, who went home feeling decidedly foolish. The score was 21-0. Bangor was never in the game for an instant; the seminary boys played all around them and through them, too, for that matter. The game was too one-sided to be interesting.

It is feared that two Bucksport fishing men were lost in the Provincetown schooner "Corra S. McKay", which is supposed to have foundered with all on board during the tremendous gale which swept the Banks on Sept. 13. Neil McLain and Fred Pickard (generally known as Fred Baker) shipped early in the spring in the Bucksport fisherman "T. M. Nicholson". When the "McKay" was ready to sail for home the "McKay", a fine large three-master, still lacked nearly half her fare. McLain and Baker were offered \$125 each to stay out the trip on the "McKay". They accepted the offer, each taking a dory from the "Nicholson", which stood away for home, arriving in safety. When last seen the "McKay" was in a very bad position and it is feared that she struck and went down with all on board. The missing men were considered among the most able and experienced men who sailed out of Bucksport, as well as the most popular with their ship-mates. McLain had been many trips as mate, and was a "high-line" frequently. Pickard was also a very capable man. Both were single.

## Penobscot.

Mrs. Burke Sellers is at home.

Mrs. Charles Perkins is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Smith.

A social dance was enjoyed at Grange hall Friday evening, Oct. 19.

Capt. Maurice Perkins has just taken command of the schooner "Omaha".

The schooner "Ellen Maria" is discharging a load of freight for A. E. Varnum.

On account of the illness of the pastor there have been no church services for two weeks.

Congratulations are being extended to Rev. and Mrs. Garland on the birth of a son, born Thursday, Oct. 18.

The Methodist church is receiving two new coats of paint through the efforts of the King's Daughters. James Perkins has charge of the work.

A game of baseball was played here Saturday afternoon between the North Bluehill and the Penobscot teams. For some reason only two or three innings were played. Then the visiting team declared they had to go home. The score stood 10-10. A game was played the week before at North Bluehill between the same teams, the score standing 31 to 19 in favor of Penobscot.

Oct. 22. SUBA.

Franklin.  
Applications for house rent are numerous at the centre.

William W. Bragdon and son, W. E. Bragdon, are moving into their new home on Cottage street.

Mrs. Minnie Willey, of Cherryfield, with her three children, is visiting her parents, Robert Phillips and wife.

Mrs. Effie M. Macomber and daughter Charlotte leave Tuesday for Waltham, Mass., and other places, to visit relatives.

Messrs. Cook and Dwelley have been doing an extensive business house-painting this fall. The Baptist parsonage will be painted this week.

Members of Tugwash court of Foresters, accompanied by their band, visited the Waltham court, Saturday evening. They report a grand good time.

Mrs. Hattie L. Bragdon is critically ill. A slight improvement is reported at this writing. Late reports from Miss Clara Dunn are gratifying, though she is still very ill.

Ellsworth Hastings and family, of Lawrence, Mass., have recently moved here. They will live with Mrs. Hastings' mother, Mrs. Charlotte Williams, who has not been well for some time.

Oct. 22. B.

It Happened in a Drug Store.  
"One day last winter a lady came to my drug store and asked for a brand of cough medicine that I did not have in stock," says Mr. C. R. Grandin, the popular druggist of Ontario, N. Y. "She was disappointed, and wanted to know what cough preparation I could recommend. I said to her that I could freely recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and that she could take a bottle of the remedy and, after giving it a fair trial if she did not find it worth the money, to bring back the bottle and I would refund the price paid. In the course of a day or two the lady came back in company with a friend in need of a cough medicine and advised her to buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I consider that a very good recommendation for the remedy." It is for sale by GEO. A. PARTRIDGE, Ellsworth, and W. I. PARTRIDGE, Bluehill, druggists.

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which it will be sold, were laid before the meeting. No formal action could be taken at the meeting, but the matter will be referred to a joint committee previously appointed from the various masonic bodies to take under consideration the matter of a masonic building.

E. H. Greely has a new horse in his stable, the four-year-old brown pacer Charles M. (2294) by Lohair Jr. Mr. Greely got the horse from W. W. Gilles, of Bangor, in exchange for a two-year-old filly by Tasso, out of a dam by Nelson's Wilkes.

Some anxiety has been felt for the schooner "Nettie Grant", which was in the vicinity of the shoals during last week's gale. Nothing was heard from her in Ellsworth until to-day, when she was reported safe, but with one anchor and chain gone.

Rev. George H. Salley, of the Free Baptist church, left for Lewiston yesterday to attend a meeting of the executive board of the Free Baptist young people's societies of Maine. His little son accompanied him as far as Brunswick, where he visited relatives. Mr. Salley and his son are expected home Friday.

John H. Brimmer is expected home from Minneapolis the last of this week. While in the West he had an opportunity to hear William J. Bryan speak. He writes that he was disappointed in him. He also heard Congressman Littlefield, of Maine, who is stirring up republican enthusiasm wherever he speaks.

Special services are being held at the Baptist church by Rev. David Kerr, of Quincy, Mass., every evening this week except Thursday. At these services Mr. Kerr not only preaches but sings. He will also conduct the morning and evening services at the church next Sunday. All are welcome to these services.

The Eastport cornet band will give a concert in Hancock hall Thursday evening, Nov. 8, followed by a ball. The Eastport band was in Ellsworth during the merchants' carnival. The band liked Ellsworth and Ellsworth liked the band. There doubtless will be a warm welcome for the Eastport boys on their next visit.

Friday evening of this week has been decided upon as the date for the "old maids' convention" at the Unitarian vestry. There will be an interesting gathering of maiden ladies of uncertain age, to test the virtues of Prof. Pinkerton, "magic transform-her", which promises wonderful things. The fun will begin at 8 o'clock.

The annual convention of the Hancock county Sunday school association will be held at the Methodist church in this city to-morrow. The morning session will begin at 10 o'clock. At noon there will be a basket lunch, coffee and tea being furnished by the Ellsworth schools. The afternoon session will begin at 1:45 and the evening session at 7:15. The complete programme was printed in THE AMERICAN last week.

The remains of Mrs. Edward L. Davis, who died at Waltham, Mass., last Friday, were brought to Ellsworth and interred in the Davis lot at Woodbine cemetery Monday. There were prayers at the grave, Rev. J. M. Adams, of the Congregational church, officiating. Mrs. Davis formerly lived in Ellsworth, where her husband, son of the late Lafayette Davis, was engaged in the jewelry business. Mrs. Davis was a Miss Campbell, of Cherryfield. She was in the fiftieth year of her age. She leaves four children.

A letter to the New York Tribune Saturday from Brown university, Providence, R. I., says: "Dr. Annie Crosby Emery will be installed as dean of Pembroke hall on Oct. 24. The exercises will be presided over by President Faunce, and addresses will be delivered by Miss M. Carey Thomas, of Bryn Mawr; Miss Caroline Hazard, of Wellesley, and Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer. The exercises will take place in Pembroke hall, and will be followed by a reception to Miss Emery by the Rhode Island Society for the Collegiate Education of Women."

Thursday of next week, Nov. 1, Judge L. A. Emery will present to Esoteric lodge a gavel from Royal Solomon Mother lodge, F. and A. M., of Jerusalem, similar to the one presented by him to Lygonia lodge last June. The gavel was given to him for the Ellsworth lodge during his visit to the Jerusalem lodge last winter. Wives of Masons will be invited to be present at the presentation. As the night of presentation is the regular meeting night of the lodge, Judge Emery has kindly consented to entertain the ladies in the banquet room by a talk on "Roman Athens", while the Masons are opening lodge and transacting business.

The series of cooking demonstrations being given this week at Manning hall, by Miss Myrtle Ethelyn Robinson, for the Mattoon Robinson Co., is proving very interesting. About 100 ladies are on hand daily, armed with spoon and fork to test the dainty and palatable dishes which Miss Robinson prepares. She is an adept in the art of good cooking, and the ladies receive many valuable hints from her. The demonstrations are free, being given in the interest of several large food concerns whose products are carried in Ellsworth stores. The demonstrations will continue every afternoon this week (except Saturday) at 2:30, and this evening at 7:30.

Several ladies of Ellsworth who are interested in physical culture are agitating the question of having a class in gymnastics and physical culture organized here. An instructor has already been asked to name his terms for lessons, and if enough ladies can be found to make the class practicable, a meeting will be called in about a week to discuss ways and means. It has been suggested that the use of the Dirigo club gymnasium might be obtained for the lessons and for exercise during certain hours. The club has already been approached on the matter, and it is understood the members are generally in favor of extending privileges to the ladies, but as yet no formal action has been taken.

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## COUNTY NEWS.

Additional County News, see other pages.

## Cranberry Isles.

The ladies' aid circle is an assured thing. Its reputed object is the building of a parish house.

Mrs. Augusta Candage, of Seal Harbor, is visiting relatives here while her husband is employed on the island.

Millard Spurling and Perley Stanley have completed the excavation under the Union meeting-house for a furnace.

Mrs. Mary E. Hamor, who has been in Massachusetts during the past month visiting her sons, is expected home to-day.

Samuel Candage, of Seal Harbor, is employed at work about the Union meeting-house here, preparatory to placing therein a furnace.

Frank A. Johnson who, one month ago, underwent a successful operation at the Maine general hospital at Portland, is gaining slowly, and hopes to be able to return in two weeks.

Mrs. Hannah S. Jarvis died Oct. 13. The deceased was the wife of George S. Jarvis, and the daughter of the late Henry Fernald. Besides her husband she leaves an aged mother, one sister and one brother, and four children—Mrs. Frank Gilley, Oscar S., Charles S., and Fannie Jarvis. Mrs. Jarvis was born Feb. 18, 1845. Funeral was from her home, Sunday, Rev. C. N. Davis officiating.

Samuel C. Stover, who moved over a year ago to Portland, is now here visiting friends. He brought with him his dog "Zip", who upon landing on the beach, immediately started on the run and did not stop until he reached his old home, half-a-mile distant, where he cried piteously at the door of the vacant house to be admitted. He was soon admitted and remained there most of the time alone, as contented and watchful as though he had not been away from the place at all.

Letters from Cottage City, Vinal Haven, Mass., announce the death of Capt. William E. Bunker on Oct. 13. He was a native, and for many years a valuable citizen of this place, and one of the smartest master-mariners sailing from here. With the notice of his death, the writer also learned of the deaths of Mrs. Clarissa Lynne Tafts and Mrs. Elmira (Stanley) Mitchell, at their homes in Massachusetts. Thus, one by one, the former natives and residents of this place are called to their eternal home.

A letter from Chicago conveys the sad news that Gen. Andrew B. Spurling while making a call upon friends on Oct. 10, suddenly fell forward from his chair and was picked up unconscious. A few moments before he had remarked that he was not feeling well, but no serious thought was connected therewith, until he fell to the floor. A physician pronounced it a stroke of paralysis of the entire right side. The next morning, at his request, he was removed to a hospital where he is receiving every attention and is gradually regaining the use of his speech and limbs. It is hoped he will rally from the shock. For the past two years he has made his home with his half-brother, William H. Preble.

Oct. 22. R.

## South Hancock.

Mrs. Mary Dyer, of Eastbrook, is visiting her niece, Mrs. L. S. Jordan.

W. T. Coggin is preparing to add an ice-house 12x14 to his buildings.

Mrs. Amanda Carter, with her mother and little son, of East Bluehill, has been visiting Mrs. R. C. Hagerthy, the past week.

The many friends of Mrs. A. E. Wooster will be pleased to learn that she is nicely settled in her new home, in Somerville, Mass. Her son Carl entered the high school there last Monday.

Oct. 22. W.

## West Trenton.

Ernest Haynes was driving from Ellsworth with a load of lumber Saturday. At the foot of a hill he jumped from the load and slipped, one wheel of the wagon passing over one leg, breaking it near the ankle.

## Bar Harbor.

Bar Harbor football team won as they pleased from the second eleven from University of Maine Saturday. Score, 32-0.

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## MOUTH OF THE RIVER.

Clifford Fullerton has moved his family into part of his father's house.

Eugene Mosley has moved his family into Mrs. Isaac Smith's house.

Mrs. Fogg, of Yarmouth, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Fullerton.

There was a whist party at Mrs. Adelbert Garland's last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Hugh Duffy, with her son Horace, of East Bluehill, is visiting Mrs. C. L. Chatto.

Mrs. Will Yorke, with her two children, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Gray, at Brooksville.

Isaiah Stockbridge, of Swan's Island, spent two days last week with his cousin, Mrs. Adelbert Garland.

Mrs. Richard Garland, who has been spending several weeks with Mrs. Eunice Williams, has returned to her home in Boston.

Oct. 22. VICTOR.

## WEST ELLSWORTH.

About thirty of Judson Barron's friends gave him a house-warming party at his new cottage last Thursday night.

Mrs. Hattie Barron and Mrs. Grace Barron and children spent Saturday and Sunday at Salisbury Cove visiting relatives.

Miss Effie A. Barron, with her niece and nephew, Miss Marion Ella and Percy Waldo McMaster, left Saturday for Lowell, Mass.

Oct. 22. B.

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